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and associate organizations who are gathered with us this week. We bid you a hearty and most cordial welcome. May your stay in Barre, one of the most hustling and busy cities of our grand old Green Mountain State, be most pleasant and profitable.

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TALK OF THE TOWN

See A. V. Beckley's adv. for paint and wall paper—adv.

Private Charles N. Ladd, stationed at Camp Devens, spent Sunday at his home on east hill.

Norman Tobin of Nashua, N. H., has been passing several days with relatives in the city.

Crossed wires were responsible for a rather false alarm on the fire department wires early last evening.

Franklyn Farnum in "The Rough Lover," a Bluebird feature, and the weekly of current events, Bijou to-day—adv.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sherman have returned to their home in Burlington, after passing a few days with friends in the city.

Mrs. Garrett T. Roberts of Elm street left this morning for Essex Junction, where she is passing a few days with relatives.

Howard T. Sands of Boston, vice-president of the B. & M. T. & P. Co., is passing a few days in Barre and Montpelier on business.

Miss Dorothy M. Currell has returned to her home in Reading, Mass., after having been called here by the death of Glenn W. Merrill.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Bates of Orange street are vacating their house, preparatory to moving to Calais, where they are to occupy a farm.

George H. Hoyt and Fayette T. Cutler left yesterday for Amsterdam, N. Y., where they are engaged in setting a monument for Hoyt & Milne.

Sergt. Roger Farrell of the heavy artillery has returned to his duties in New York, after passing a fortnight with friends in Barre and Granville.

The sewing committee of the Hospital Aid association will meet at the hospital Thursday afternoon at 2:30. It is requested that all attend who can.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Soule, who have been visiting their son and daughter at Goddard seminary, have returned to their home in Fairfield, making the trip by automobile.

James E. Gregory and W. L. Averill of New York City, who have been the guests of the former's uncle, D. F. Gregory of east hill, for the past week, left yesterday for their homes.

The condition of Anthony Tomasi of Merchant street, who is a patient at the City hospital as the result of injuries received in an auto accident, is reported to be improving slowly.

Miss Ruth Glysson, who has been at her home on Perry street since completing another year of study at the state university, left this morning for Middlebury, where she is to pass the summer.

Mrs. Lumina Bisson has leased the place between the Worthen and Wheelock buildings, known as the Hole-in-the-Wall, and will reopen the restaurant formerly conducted there by Ernest Letourneau.

Roy Gelman, who has been employed as a plumber by C. W. Averill & Co. for several months, has enlisted as a steam fitter in the U. S. navy and expects to be called to the colors within a few days.

Miss Madeline Rogers, a student at Middlebury college, is at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Rogers of Orange street, while supplying a temporary vacancy in the faculty of Montpelier high school.

Alexander Cruickshank, who has been visiting at his home here since completing a long term of service as foreman in the F. W. Mould granite plant at Morrisville, has gone to New London, Conn., to be employed.

The body of Rev. Frank H. Roberts of Williamstown, who passed away in Barre June 17, was removed from the receiving vault at Elmwood to-day, and taken to Chelsea, where interment was made in the family lot in the village cemetery.

Miss Lina Calcagni, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Calcagni of the East Montpelier road, submitted to an operation for appendicitis at the City hospital yesterday. The operation was described as successful and to-day the patient was reported to be resting comfortably.

Officers and other members of Barre council, Knights of Columbus, have been notified that the third degree ceremony, which was to have been held in Burlington next Sunday, has been postponed a week. A number of local knights are planning to participate in the ceremonial.

Barre aerial of Eagles, which recently dedicated its service flag, is laying plans for a farewell reception in honor of the men in the current draft who are Eagles. Several of those who have been called to the colors and who will leave May 25 are members of the local eagle, and it is planned to give them a dinner in Eagles' hall on the evening of Thursday, May 23. There will be speechmaking and music in the after-dinner program and at the same time a number of stars will be added to the service flag.

Donald W. Smith, who has been taking the military course at Yale, looking to admission to an officers' training camp, recently received his appointment to the fourth officers' training camp at Camp Jackson, S. C., but, upon a later physical examination, a slight physical defect has barred him from entering the officers' training camp. He was ordered back to the Yale regiment and hopes to report with the batteries at Camp Jackson later in the summer. Last week he was elected to the business board of the Yale Courant.

Preparations are well under way for the children's day program at the Congregational church and rehearsals begin this week. Tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon there will be a rehearsal of the primary department immediately after school, and at the same time on Friday the members of the junior department will meet for a rehearsal. Parents of children in these departments will confer a great favor on those in charge of the exercises if they will see that their children attend all the rehearsals if possible.

Save for the fact that a basket lunch will be furnished, with each member bringing his own package of edibles, the annual reunion of the Washington county Spanish-American war veterans at Caledonia park to-morrow will conform in many ways to the outings that have been held in the past. Hitherto a big shore dinner has been the gastronomic feature of the veterans' picnic, but this year the committee, mindful of the strictures placed on food consumption, has directed each veteran to bring along his own grub stake. There will be a program of athletics in the afternoon.

Band Concert at Montpelier. Program of concert to be given by the Montpelier Military band at Montpelier Thursday evening, May 16, at 7:30 o'clock:

"Star Spangled Banner".....Lake
March—"Loyal Comrade".....Ellenberg
Overture—"King Mydas".....Selected
Song for cornet.....Karl Forster

"Keep the Home Fires Burning" Novello
Waltz—"Whispering Leaves".....Rollinson
Selection from "Jack o' Lantern".....Caryll
March—"Battleship Oregon".....Fulton
America

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Orlando L. Martin of Plainfield was a Barre business visitor to-day.

La Resistia corsets, with spirabone side stay, at Mrs. Shepard Co., Inc. Corsets fitted, \$1.00 to \$6.50.

Mrs. Dean W. Blodgett of Park street left the city this morning for her former home in Montgomery, where she is making a visit of several weeks.

Special to-day at Park theatre, Robert Warwick in "The Silent Master," based on E. Phillips Oppenheim's great novel, "The Court of St. Simon,"—adv.

Peter Vals, who has been staying at the city farm, was locked up on an intoxication charge last night. This forenoon in municipal court he acknowledged a first offense, and paid the minimum fine and costs.

Ugo Ramella, who has been employed in New York City for the past two years, arrived in Barre last evening. Mr. Ramella has enlisted in the U. S. navy and before joining the colors will pass several days with his mother, Mrs. Charlotte Ramella of Berlin street.

Misses Annie Deans of Prospect street and Belle Fraser of Merchant street arrived in the city last evening from St. Augustine, Fla., where they have been employed during the winter months, to spend an indefinite period at their respective homes in this city.

News is received here of the birth of a son in New York Saturday, May 11, to Mr. and Mrs. Frank Ahern, former residents of Barre. Mrs. Ahern was at the time a member of Miss Mildred Brooks, a court reporter. Her husband is employed by the Royal Typewriter Co.

Frank L. Howe of Northfield, who was captain of the Northfield company which went to Chickamauga in the Spanish-American war, called on friends in Barre to-day while assisting in arrangements for the reunion of veterans of '98 at Caledonia park to-morrow. Mr. Howe's son is a captain in the 101st ammunition train, now in France.

John Robertson of West Patterson street completed his duties as draughtsman at the Waldron Shields granite office in the Miles block last evening, after having been employed in that capacity during the past two years. Mr. Robertson is one of the 41 men who are to be sent from Washington to-morrow afternoon to the University of Vermont at Burlington to take a course for mechanics.

Officials of the B. & M. T. & P. Co., including Vice-President H. T. Sands, came to Barre this afternoon for a conference with the city council at 1:30 o'clock. Having paid the assessment due on the South Main street paving job, the company brought along its bond contract for the mayor's signature. At the aldermanic session last evening a copy of the contract was examined and approved by the city fathers. The bond is for \$10,000.

Accompanied by a number of students and members of the faculty, the Spaulding high school baseball team left the city early this afternoon for Waterbury, where they are scheduled to meet the Waterbury high school baseball team this afternoon. Polls is expected to do the twirling for the high school nine, while it is likely the Varsity will be back in harness to do the receiving Saturday afternoon at the Lincoln campus, the St. Albans team will make their appearance for the first time of the season.

Registered Holstein bull for sale. Nearly ready for service. A fine individual out of good stock and from a dam we intend to put under test soon. Just the right age to turn out. The first check for \$95 takes him. Have also a young son of our head sire, King Segie Pontiac Spofford, whose three nearest dams average 31.39 pounds butter in seven days. A grandson of the \$50,000 bull, King Segie Pontiac Alcatraz, with a long list of A. R. O. daughters; mostly white, a beauty and breeding that puts him in a class good enough to head any herd. Will sell for \$100 and arrange to give one year to pay. Would like to see him remain in this section. C. W. Perry, Barre. Tel. 285-M or 577-W.

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To-day every woman feels uncertain about values. She sees prices going up every day. She wonders what the high mark is to be. She is wide-awake, looking for the store and merchandise she can depend upon in the present critical situation. The kind of friendship a woman needs from a store now is the friendship that takes its share of rising war costs—the friendship that makes a store stand out above all others as a place to depend upon. The customers, the store, the manufacturer—all must stand together, making sacrifice where necessary. Everyone must do this bit.

Special Waist Values

Here is a line of merchandise that we are now selling at the old prices. We can hardly realize ourselves how this is possible. Neither can we promise how long we will be able to maintain these prices.

We have one lot of Colored Voile Waists in good colorings and the latest styles, that we are selling at only \$1.00 each. These are extra values.

In White Muslin and Voile Waists we have just received a large assortment, in qualities as good as we ever offered, at \$1.25 and \$1.00 each.

We have just received one lot of White Pique Waists with colored stripes. They are of fine quality, made with the high-low neck. The price is \$2.00 each.

We have a large line of Silk Wash Waists in Whites and colors, at only \$2.00 each. These are exceptional values. Are at the old price.

One lot of old Waists now selling at one-fourth off from the old price.

Special Suit Values

You surely will be interested in the special Suit values we are putting out this week. We have a lot of odd Suits in Serges, Poplins and Gabardines. These are odd Suits in Tans, Taupes, Copens and Pekin Blue.

These are the season's best Suit values in cloths we cannot duplicate, and if we could the prices would be much more than the regular price.

We have these Suits on one rack at prices that will surely be of interest to anyone who wants a Suit for summer or fall wear.

You will find these Suit prices much cheaper than you will see them for some time, and the quality is as good as we ever put out.

Summer Petticoats

We have some Summer Petticoat values that should be of interest to you, because of the excellent wearing qualities. These are a Petticoat that is in a variety of the season's best colors.

One lot at \$2.50 is made of a Silk and Linen material, in a goods of unusual wearing qualities, and in a variety of the season's best colors. These Petticoats look as well as an all-silk, and will wear as well, if not better. Are just what you want for summer, as they are light and serviceable.

In the Mercerized Petticoats we are showing a good assortment. The Black Figure Petticoats are very popular. These we have in the Heatherbloom and black grounds with Dresden patterns. The prices are \$1.50 and \$2.00 each. Make your selection while the assortment is good.

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REGISTERING MEN

21 SINCE JUNE 5

Adjutant-General H. T. Johnson of Vermont Issues Instructions to Local Boards—Registration Expected to Take Place June 5 Next.

The following order has been issued by Adjutant-General H. T. Johnson to the local boards, instructing them to make arrangements for the registering of the men who have become 21 years of age since June 5, 1917. It is expected that the registration will occur June 5.

Pursuant to instructions issued by the provost marshal-general in anticipation of the early registration of men who have attained the age of 21 since June 5 last, the following plan for registration is tentatively devised for this state.

1. The central organization in the area under the jurisdiction of a local board shall be the local board for that division. The local board shall forward to town and city clerks the necessary blanks, registration certificates, and other supplies, and upon completion of registration receive the registration cards and compile the statistics required.

2. Registration in the several towns shall be accomplished by the town clerk, at office of the town clerk on the date proclaimed.

3. The average registration per town will approximate 1 in the larger towns and cities it is anticipated that it will not exceed 100, except in the cities of Burlington, Barre and Rutland. Registration can easily be accomplished in the larger cities by the appointment of voluntary registrars to act in co-operation with the city clerk. One assistant registrar for each 50 to be registered will be sufficient.

4. Prior to the date designated by the president for registration, city officials will prepare the usual voting place, providing such chairs, tables, and stationery as may be needed.

5. On June 5, 1917, nearly 1,200 patriotic Vermonters assisted in the registration of nearly 30,000 men. Less than 15 claimed compensation for that service. In view of the demonstration of unselfish loyalty, it is confidently expected that no person who participates as registrar or assistant in this new registration will desire or expect compensation.

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